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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the First Page, in Col. 1, under (Related U.S. Application)

Lines 1-2, after "Division of" delete "application No. 10/132,964. filed on Apr. 26, 2002, now".

On the First Page, in Col. 2, under (Other Publications)

Line 1. delete "fo" and insert - - of - -, therefor.

On Page 2 of the Title Pages, Col. 2, under (Other Publications)

Line 2, delete "," and insert - - . - -, therefor. Line 24, delete "ppl" and insert - - pp. - -, therefor.

Col. 1

Lines 5-6, after "divisional of" delete "application Ser. No. 10/132,964 filed on Apr. 26, 2002 now".

Line 41, insert -- the -- before "high".

Col. 3

Line 28, delete "Or" and insert - - or - -, therefor.

Line 37, delete ">" and insert - - ≥ - -, therefor.

Col. 4

Line 11, delete "poly(4-hydropontanoate)" and insert - - poly(4-hydropentanoate) - -, therefor,

Col. 6

Line 54, delete "Tate" and insert - - rate - -, therefor.

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Col. 7

Line 49, delete "flier" and insert - - further - -, therefor.

Col. 8

Line 13, delete "10%/0" and insert - - 10% - -, therefor.

Lines 24-25, delete "microfibritlated" and insert - - microfibrillated - -, therefor.

Line 27, delete "initialing" and insert - - initiating - -, therefor.

Line 63, after "component" insert - - . - -.

Col. 9

Line 12, delete " $\Delta G_m 25 \Delta H_m > 0$ " and insert - - $\Delta G_m \cong \Delta H_m > 0$ - -, therefor.

Col. 16

Line 14, delete "yams" and insert - - yams - -, therefor.

Col. 19

Line 22, delete "pun" and insert - - µm - -, therefor.

Col 21

Line 19, delete "nitrite" and insert - - nitrile - -, therefor.

Col. 22

Line 4, after "copolymer" insert - - , - -.

Line 10, after "(3-hydroxybutyrate)" insert --, --.

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